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## WHAT IS IT?

The Altona Historical Society recently brought up the question of the old war memorial down at Cresser Reserve and its disgusting condition.

The Star this week investigated and found out the facts; it is in a disgusting condition.

Any connection with either war, or the soldiers who defended this country has been stripped from the eight-foot high ex-drinking fountain.

Rotting wood, dog droppings and badly cast concrete are all that remain as a gaping nameless reminder.

Originally it is believed to have been donated by the widows of the soldiers who lost their lives and the citizens of Altona, and stood as a drinking fountain cum memorial at the end of the pier, on the Esplanade.

Eventually it heeled

over with the drifting sands and was unceremoniously dumped in the council yard, until action from Mr. Bill Draper the secretary of the Altona RSL pressured for it to be reinstated.

It was, at Cresser Reserve.

As far as we have been able to determine, it has lain there for between seven and nine years, plonked without as much as thank you scribbled in chalk on the side.

Mr. Draper said the council had promised to "fix it up."

Town Clerk, Mr. Waters, said that it was no longer regarded as the official war memorial.

He said he expected eventually it might be returned to a drinking fountain.

Until then, in his words it will be an "historical landmark."



Staff reporter, Gary Smith examines the monument. It has been stripped of any indication of what it is. Only rotting wood, dog droppings and badly cast concrete remain.

## NEW MAYOR INVESTED

**Retiring Mayor (Cr. Doug Grant) officially handed over his robe and his chain of office to the incoming Mayor (Cr. P. J. Lynch) at a ceremony in the Civic Offices last Thursday.**

All Altona councillors were in attendance for the ceremony, at which Cr. Lynch was escorted by past mayors, W. L. J. Crofts and P. A. Burns, into the council chambers.

In the chamber, he was handed his robes and chain of office by Cr. Grant, assisted by Mr. Alec Knight, MLC (above).

The past mayoress, Mrs. Lola Grant, handed over to Mrs. Bridie Lynch.

Later the keys of the mayoral car and the gavel of office were handed to Cr. Lynch.

The ceremony was also attended by many of Cr. Lynch's friends and council workers.

Cr. Lynch has held the portfolio of educational activities and chaired the general purposes meetings so far this year.

He has also represented Cr. Grant at functions during the year in his position as deputy mayor.

In making his acceptance speech he said, "I feel very happy and indeed, very humble that my wife and I have been elected Mayor and Mayoress of our City. 'My sincere thanks I would extend to the ratepayers of the City, who have made this possible. My second word of thanks is to my colleagues in Council for the confidence they have shown in me in electing me to this very high office."

"I have been asked at different times what my policy is for the year. Well, my policy for the next twelve months is indeed very similar to that of the past few years."

"A dedication to the position we hold as councillors, and a team-work effort by all Councillors to continue Altona's progress."

"We are very fortunate, I must say, only a few short years ago I was the only green one perhaps, coming from Ireland, but there were many of us rather amateurish in regards to council curriculum when we were elected to Council."



"But this morning, we have three ex-Mayors of the City as members of Council and most other Councillors have served at least a three year term — so no one can say there isn't an abundance of experience around the Council table, to carry out the duties of this City."

"At the end of my Mayoral year, taking quite a jump from my previous comments, please God, I should look back on the year's achievements and give a resume on what took place during that twelve months and I am quite confident that I will be able to relay Altona's progress not only maintained, but accelerated."

"I am very happy indeed to see so many people present in the Chamber this morning and a very warm welcome to you, which I have extended already this morning. Mr. Alex Knight, we know you are committed with Parliament; indeed, for the benefit of those who are not from our City, the Hon. Alex Knight and I spent about three and a half — four hours together last Saturday, handing out 'How to Vote' cards."

"I was handing for one crowd and the Hon. Alex Knight for the other, toe to toe for about three and a half hours."

"We are here this morning side by side, doing our little thing for the ratepayers of the city."

"This is indeed democracy in motion and long may it remain."

"I am very pleased to welcome so many friends who have come a long way this morning, considering the meeting started so early, friends as far away as Warrnambool, Greensborough, Pascoe Vale — I'll just have another quick look — Bentleigh or East Bentleigh and from many areas around Melbourne."

"The Mayoress and I assure you and the ratepayers of the City that the office that we hold will be carried out with dignity and decorum, whether it be in the City of Altona or outside the City on Council business."

Cr. and Mrs. Lynch have lived in the area for some 18 years.

Both were born in Ireland. They are actively associated with St. Leo's and Mrs. Lynch is a member of the parish council.

This week they stepped into official duties quickly. They opened the lawn bowls season at the Altona Working Men's Club and the Altona Bowling Club.

He also attended and chaired the local meeting of the Hobsons Bay Dog Obedience Club at the weekend.

Pictured above Mayor Pat Lynch has just been presented with his robe of office and his chain by ex-Mayor, Cr. Doug Grant assisted by Mr. Alex Knight, MLC.

Also present at the ceremony last Thursday were all Altona councillors to watch the investiture.

Mayor Lynch has held the portfolio of Educational Activities in council.

He is married with two children.

On Monday "The Age" publishes a special four-page lift-out called "The Age of Science" which has been especially designed by Victoria's top education experts to help parents, pupils and teachers to discover the new things about Primary science today.

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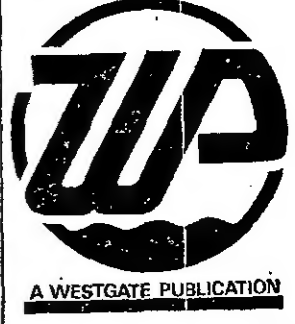
Photographer Col Barnard and I had an embarrassing experience recently. While visiting the Altona kindergarten in Blyth Street, one of the teachers, Mrs. Spacek, offered us a child's jigsaw puzzle to fill in time. Half an hour later we were still trying to finish it. Mrs. Spacek helped us. Luckily the kids didn't notice.

An amazing fact was revealed in a recent council medical check. Almost one in 10 of all children at Altona's Blyth Street kindergarten had knock knees!

At a meeting prior to the Altona council elections, town clerk Jim Waters quipped, "when filling out the voting cards, please no kisses and no cross-outs".

By their popularity, Altona could be having a visit from the Customs and Excise men soon. The new health food shop in Railway Street, Altona has a popular line, all the equipment for the making of beer. Kits are cheap and selling like wildfire.

There's been no more progress on the Lewis Construction move to establish a shopping mart on the site of the old quarry in Millers Road. On the other hand the Pier Street end of town has seen two new businesses open this week, Aquarius Employment and the new health food shop. We wish the owners well in their new shops.



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## 'BATTLE' DINNER

The Air Force Association will be holding a Battle of Britain dinner dance at the San Remo Ballroom, 36 Nicholson Street, North Carlton, on September 17.

All ex-RAAF and WAAF personnel and their friends are invited to attend. Special guest at the function will be Dame Anna Neagle. Tickets are \$11 a double.

Anyone interested should contact the state president Mr. Colin Campbell at 30 Chester Street, Oakleigh or ring 569 0562.

## Their son flies in

Sub-Lieut. John Eacott flew into Laverton air base on Saturday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Eacott of Vaina Street Werribee.

John had not seen his parents for four years as he is a member of the crew of the English aircraft carrier, HMS Eagle, which is on a tour of duty in the south Pacific.

He will stay with his parents for a fortnight and rejoin Eagle at Perth.



## HOUSEWIFE WINS ON TV

Local housewife Mrs. R. Nicholas (left) is photographed above with TV personality Roy Hampson, after winning a prize on the Roy Hampson Show, on Channel O. She is seen with her opponents, Mrs. A. O'Meara of Box Hill and Mr. E. Cristal.

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## "WHAT AREAS, MR HAMER?"

A letter of comment on the speech made recently by Mr. Hamer, the deputy premier, on the western suburbs is commented on by an irate ratepayer.

The letter reads: After reading an article stating that Mr. Hamer, now Deputy Premier of Victoria, "Admires Altona" I am at a loss to know what areas Mr. Hamer visited when he visited our City.

One area he did not view for sure is the rear laneway of the shopping block on Civic Parade near the junction of Millers Road.

For the past three years, piles of decaying food-stuffs, septic tank over-

flows and numerous piles of rubbish have given off a nauseating smell to all the residents in nearby streets.

Surely from such a civic minded group of councillors at least one could visit this area and then report his findings to the City Health Department (if we have one).

Then most likely we will see this area cleaned up and the fear of hepatitis and other diseases may disappear from our city.

Mr. Hamer may even give them a printed certificate.

Yours etc.,  
"Irate Ratepayer".

## Adult education scheme coming

The Council for Adult Education is planning to open a centre for evening classes at the Laverton High School next year.

The programme will cater for a wide variety of interests such as current affairs, literature, languages, parent education, interior decorating, gardening and craft activities.

The range of courses will ultimately depend on the council's ability to attract students and teachers.

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## Mrs. Heriot president of Hospital Auxiliary

At a recent meeting of the Altona Hospital's Ladies' Auxiliary Mrs. E. Heriot was elected president.

Other office bearers elected were Mrs. G. McDonald, vice-president, Mrs. C. McGraw, secretary, Mrs. L. Weaver, assistant secretary, Mrs. D. Hagan, treasurer.

The committee is Mrs. J. Crofts, Mrs. D. Shaw and Mrs. W. Verlander.

## HOPE STILL FOR OLD HOME

The National Trust hopes legislation will be changed to prevent a historical building in Williamstown being ripped down.

The building, Cox's Gardens, has been condemned, the trust's latest news-letter states.

It says the trust's legal advisers had made detailed studies of the situation.

It was now hoped existing legislation could be amended to allow the building to remain.

The trust considers Cox's Gardens is an important early building in Australian history.

## CR. IAN STEWART THANKS VOTERS

The Star this week received a letter from Councillor Ian Stewart, who was returned to council in a recent election.

Editor, — Through the pages of your paper I should like to take this opportunity of expressing sincerest appreciation to the many folk of Altona, who, by virtue of their votes at

the recent election, indicated confidence in the council as it has been constituted over the past few years.

This election had particular significance for myself as I had taken my place in the Council Chamber unopposed and therefore had no real way of knowing whether or not the people of our

city wished me to be their council representative.

The results have moved me very deeply, and also given me a greater feeling of personal confidence — I look forward to the next three years and will endeavor in every way of continue serving the citizens of Altona to the best of my ability.

## CIGARETTE PACKET HOAX REKINDLED

The hoax about saving cigarette packets has flared again in this area.

The hoax, an old perennial, is spread by rumor.

Latest "charity" beneficiary is the Spastic Children's Society.

The story is that anyone who saves quantities of Benson & Hedges cigarette packets will earn a big donation for the society.

Many who have not previously heard of the hoax are dismayed when they send large quantities of packets to W. D. & H. O. Willis only to learn that no such scheme is operating.

"I saved 500 packets because I am genuinely interested in the work of the society and was shattered to learn that the collection story is only a trick," one district woman related.

Another woman canvassed all her cigarette-smoking friends to switch to the brand in question and finished with hundreds of packets.

"Something should be

done to stop this sort of thing," she said.

A spokesman for the company stated that the only thing which could be done was for the company to get as much publicity as

possible for denials about the "scheme".

These were published widely whenever the collection rumors broke out, usually at least twice a year.

## Theatre audition

There will be an audition for aspiring actors and actresses from the western suburbs at the Salvation Army Hall, Stevedore Street, Williamstown on September 13 at 7 p.m.

"Action Theatre 72" will be formed on the night and a full acting course is offered at just \$2 a year.

The theatre plans to stage Australian plays exclusively.

People with acting, singing, dancing, production and writing ability or ambition are invited to come.

Rehearsals will take place on Monday nights.

The theatre is looking for a disused warehouse or spare shed to rent at a reasonable price.

Those who can assist are invited to discuss the matter with Mr. John Davis on the night.

Experience is not needed and people who have never walked on boards will be able to give a competent performance within six weeks.

## Sand castlers



Brother and sister Angela and Annie Ghirxi, of St. Albans, visited Altona beach during the school holidays to practice their sand-castle building.

Angelo, 11, said he would prefer to be at school with his mates.

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Your body chemistry is totally different from hers and so is your personality, therefore so will be your perfume choice.

There are just so many to choose from that the business of selection can be bewildering.

Be in a light hearted mood before deciding to buy. Have time; what do you prefer — a cologne, creamy, cream spray or a concentrate? There are others. The secret is only to try three fragrances as a time your smell buds get confused after this.

Put a little on each wrist, then if still undecided go and do some messages. In 10 to 20 minutes, the fragrance will have blended with your own skin oils and then you will be able to judge which is your first preference.

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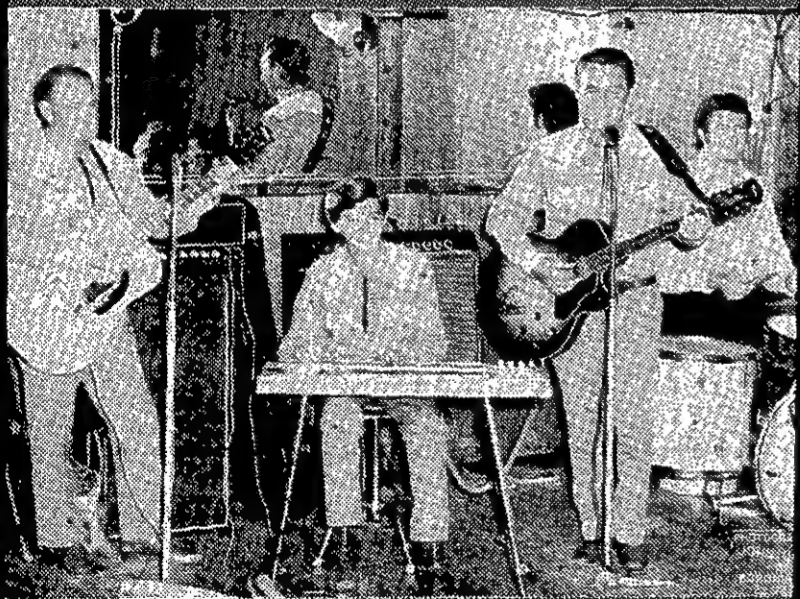
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# 'MANY ON BAY PIPELINE BANDWAGON'

Many people are getting on the bandwagon over the proposed ethane pipeline to go under Port Phillip Bay because it is fashionable, Mr. W. L. Floyd (Williamstown) declared in the Legislative Assembly.

Referring to "ultra-conservationists" Mr. Floyd commented: "Our vision should not be obscured in considering the views of people who genuinely do not want this pipeline."

Mr. Floyd asked the Chief Secretary to inform him as to whether the Fisheries and Wildlife Branch is working on a survey of the Bay.

"If so, how long have those concerned been on the job and do they intend bringing out an interim report?" Mr. Floyd asked, adding, "If not, why not; and do they intend finally to produce a report for all the members?"

The Chief Secretary (Mr. Hamer) replied that the fisheries branch had been engaged in an ecological survey of the Bay for upwards of a year — "probably nearly two years now" — in conjunction with the Board of Works.

"I understand that that survey will require at least another year and possibly more to complete. So far as I am aware it is not proposed to bring out any interim report."

"In fact, I do not know that any interim report would be entirely appropriate, because most of the study depends upon the making of comparisons of reading of various types of the waters of the Bay and other ecological data over a period."

"It will make inquiries to see whether any form of interim report would be appropriate. In the meantime, the survey is continuing and we expect results in about a year or two," Mr. Hamer added.

Mr. Floyd stated that his remarks related to the Minister for Fuel and Power (Mr. Balfour) with some slight side issues concerning the Chief Secretary.

"A considerable amount of heat has been generated over the proposed pipeline from Brighton to Williamstown."

"Although many people are getting on the bandwagon because it is fashionable, our consideration of any genuine attempt to prevent something which may be harmful to the Bay must not be impeded."

Mr. Floyd said that the matter of a survey "has been shrouded in mystery and nobody seems to know anything about it."

"Coincidentally, in his Budget speech, the Pre-



MR. W. L. FLOYD

mier mentioned that the branch was studying the chemical contents of the Bay and that, in a couple of years, it was proposed to make a study of the ecology."

"I make a plea to the Minister for Fuel and Power not to agree to the pipeline construction before a report is received from the fisheries branch indicating whether the scheme is right or wrong," the member declared.

"The ecologists and ultra-conservationists seem to get in the way, but just because many people are jumping on the bandwagon our vision should not be obscured in considering the views of people who genuinely do not want this pipeline."

Mr. Floyd said the survey had been going on for two years, and the genuine people must have some reason to believe there is something wrong with the proposal.

"I do not know why they are objecting, but they are entitled to the privilege of the results of Phillip Bay."

the survey to see whether the project can proceed without detriment to the Bay."

Mr. Balfour replied that many inquiries were made by the Government when the pipeline was under consideration.

Mr. Butcher, head of the fisheries branch, as assumed the Government that construction of the line would do no harm to the Bay.

The Government had always been interested in problems associated with the bay.

Dr. Doube: You allowed the scallops to be fished out.

Mr. Falfour: "That may be so, but the branch was responsible for the discovery of the scallops and every endeavor is being made to locate other scallop beds."

"As the State Electricity Commission is contemplating the erection of a new power station at Newport and the possible piping of some warm water into the Bay, it will contribute \$250,000 towards the cost of the experiments being conducted by the Fisheries and Wildlife Branch."

"The investigation will be of continuing importance in determining what happens in the Bay and what are the effects of various drains, the Yarra River itself, and everything else that enters the Bay."

"The Government has adequate evidence to suggest that the construction of the trench and the laying of the pipeline will have absolutely no effect on the ecology of Port Phillip Bay."

# THEFT FROM TRUCK

Mr. James Lower, of Devon Road, Williamstown, parked his tray truck for 15 minutes near the entrance of Barkly bottle yard in Railway Place.

When he returned he discovered that someone had taken his money bag from the cabin of the truck, and with it went between \$70 and \$90.

Williamstown detectives are investigating the theft.

# MAN ALLEGED ASSAULT

Mr. William Gilmore, a painter, told police last week he was assaulted when he parked his car near shops in Vernon Street.

in his car with a man friend when a man opened the door and hit him several times and then hit his friend.

Mr. Gilmore claimed there was no provocation. Williamstown detectives are dealing with the matter.

# NEW RAIL NUMBER

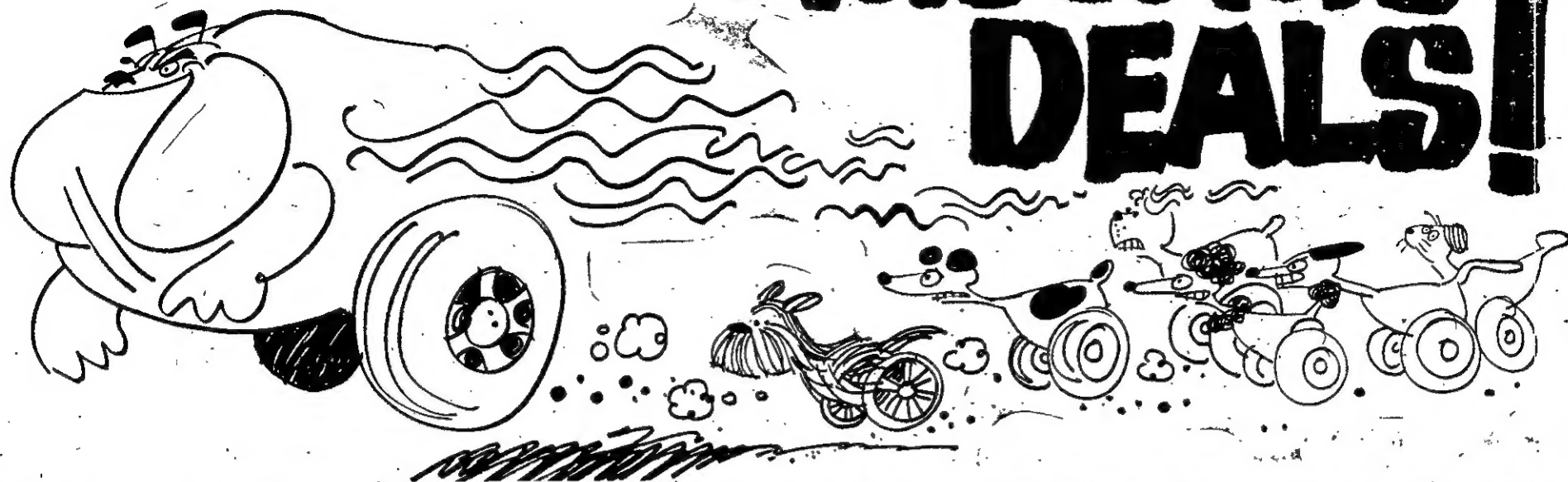
The Victorian Railways main telephone number — 62 0311 — will be changed from May next year.

The new number will be 61001. The change had been made necessary because of limitations on the group of lines operating the old number, a railways spokesman said yesterday.



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- 64 HOLDEN SEDAN **\$696**  
 65 HOLDEN SEDAN **\$986**  
 69 HOLDEN SEDAN **\$1596**  
 69 FALCON AUTO SEDAN **\$1575**  
 68 MONARO GTS **\$2340**  
 64 HOLDEN S/WAGON **\$796**  
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 69 HOLDEN S/WAGON **\$1875**  
 67 FAIRLANE SEDAN **\$2250**  
 66 AUSTIN 1800 SEDAN **\$950**  
 70 TOYOTA COROLLA **\$1996**  
 67 FAIRMONT V8 SEDAN **\$1850**  
 70 FAIRLANE SEDAN **\$3289**  
 68 FALCON S/WAGON **\$1589**  
 67 HOLDEN S/WAGON **\$1186**  
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 68 FALCON SEDAN **\$1697**  
 70 FALCON 500 SEDAN **\$1865**  
 66 CORTINA 440 SEDAN **\$796**  
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**ACTION THEATRE 72**

formation meeting to be held 7.30 p.m. Monday the 30th September.

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Persons interested in all aspects of theatre are invited to attend. The policy of this new exciting company will be to embrace Australian original work.

# Is a star being born?

Large-scale community productions are envisaged by actor-producer Mr. John Hattam-Davies, when he inaugurates his Action Theatre 72 at the Williamstown Salvation Army Hall this Wednesday night.

Davies, a media man with 3XY, played Telenovela recently, in a successful production of The Knack with the Williamstown Little Theatre.

Action Theatre hopes to break away from the traditional idea of little theatre to put on more experimental productions with younger people in all types of productions.

Davies is looking for any age people, who are interested in theatre, who know little or nothing, preferably nothing, and are prepared to listen.

The theatre will begin with a number of workshop-like forums, where different aspects of theatre will be discussed and taught.

**Minimal charge**

Despite the fact that experts in their field will be teaching, a minimal charge will be levied to cover costs.

The classes themselves will include voice production, deportment, stage technique, choreography, stage management, lighting and sound transmission.

Principal teacher will be Hattam-Davies, who has had wide experience in all fields overseas.

Before he migrated from England, some four years back, he featured in many productions as an actor in Z. Cars, Maigret, Comedy Playhouse and many others.

**Experimental**

Disappointed with acting standards and theatre in Australia he chooses to go it alone and try experimental theatre, which is all the rage overseas.

He has been negotiating for Jesus Christ Superstar, the rock mass.

Unfortunately the show was bought by entrepreneur Harry Miller.

More recently he has been negotiating with Australian writers for the rights of new plays and musicals.

Some have impressed him by their raw artistic excellence.

**Author**

While being interviewed this week he mentions that he would be interested in looking at scripts written by local amateurs.

Another principal is Williamstown author, Eric Reade, who has recently completed his second book on the Australian movie industry.



On the sound production and electronic side of the theatre is Brian Newington, the production manager of a Melbourne radio station.

To him will fall the task of training the more electronically minded students.

The theatre is bold in concept. It could, quite easily fall flat with all the usual actors, and stage crew supporting it.

But being ambitious is no crime. The group will visit

John Hattam-Davies, a man who has acted in television and films overseas.

He will launch this week into Action Theatre 72, a workshop like theatre group to train people in Williamstown and Altona in all facets of theatre.

schools and inform them first hand what they hope to do.

It could give the area, Altona, Williamstown, Newport, perhaps even Footscray, the cultural lift its been looking for and needing.

So if you are interested in any part of the theatre, acting, producing, theatre management, or would like to be the girl who takes the bookings contact Eric Reade, John Hattam-Davies or the Altona Star

The numbers are Eric Reade 63 2647, John Hattam-Davies on 347 5222 or the Star 398 2277.

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# BRIDGE REPORT COULD GIVE "ALL CLEAR"

A preliminary report on plans to complete the Westgate Bridge may be made today, Wednesday, Sept. 8

The report will be made to the Lower Yarra Crossing Authority by the recently appointed engineering directorate for the bridge.

Steel work on the bridge has been suspended since a span collapsed on October 15 last year, killing 35 men.

Fabrication work is being done off the site in factories, but nothing has been done on the bridge pending the report from the engineers.

The leader, Dr. W. A. Fairhurst, said last week: "We are engaged in a mass of calculations and analysing and this work is continuing."

"We are meeting the authority's technical committee on September 8 and there will be a preliminary report then."

Dr. Fairhurst said that at that stage he could not say if today's report would result in a return to work. Information was being sought from many sources and it would be foolish to jump to conclusions, he said.

The joint manager for Redpath, Dorman-Long, John Holland joint construction venture, Mr. J. Williams, said some piles had to be driven in on the western side.

But they would have to wait until advice was given to proceed.

## THE CURTAIN RISES

BY THISBE

House managers at Williamstown Little Theatre have to be versatile.

They are called upon to keep out uninvited visitors discreetly, act as a link between front of house and backstage staff and to make sure the theatre's public image is well kept.

But they have an extra duty, which is not written down anywhere.

Sometimes they have to fill in minor roles in a play.

House managers, Ivor Porter and Doug Lownds are joining stage manager Laurie Gellon in bringing the criminals to justice during some tense moments in *Wait Until Dark*.

Fate plays some strange

tricks to Ivor Porter and Lorraine West.

In the 1951 production of *Deliver My Darling* Ivor Porter played Lorraine West's blind husband and in *Wait Until Dark* Lorraine is playing someone else's blind wife, while Ivor plays a policeman.

*Wait Until Dark* will continue until Saturday, September 18.

The play which will leave a deep impression on all those who pluck up the courage to see it.

It's thrilling, it's menacing at times, but it's fun.

## BUTCHERS' SHOP BROKEN INTO

Thieves who broke into the Butchers' Union shop at Newport Freezing Works one night last week stole \$200 in silver coins and meat to the value of \$60.

They took hams, T-bone steaks, bacon and chops.

Two half pigs were also found next day in the car park.

The premises were left locked and intact at the end of the day. But during the night the thieves broke the shop's window to get in.

## CAR STOLEN

Williamstown detectives are checking on a car taken from Elizabeth Street, Newport, one night last week.

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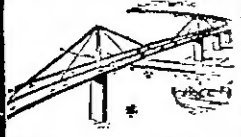
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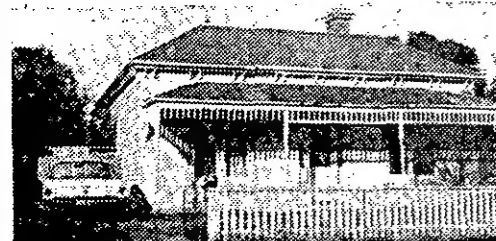
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# APC celebrates 10th birthday

Mrs. Don McMillen wife of APC's General Manager, cuts the anniversary cake. With Mrs. McMillen is APC's Cafeteria Manageress, Mrs. Janice Everett.



Plant helper, Carlo Feth's two-year-old granddaughter took an interest in the firefighting equipment. With Carlo is his daughter and a family friend.



On Sunday, August 29, Altona Petrochemical Company invited the families of employees to join in the Company's 10th anniversary celebrations.

It was August 28, 1961 that the plant first began production. prizes were distributed throughout the afternoon. Mrs. Grant, and the town clerk, Mr. J. Waters and Mayor and Mayoress of Mrs. Waters.

More than 600 people attended the afternoon events, which included department displays of maintenance and operating equipment, plant tours and demonstrations of firefighting techniques.

A selected group of paintings from Esso's valuable art collection was exhibited, and gifts and

## New bus for citizens

The Altona Elderly Citizens Club officially took charge of their new bus this week.

It has been purchased in a joint arrangement between the council and the club.

Other news: The games afternoons this week were well attended.

The club also had a visit from members of the Sunbury Elderly Citizens Club.

They celebrated the visit with an enjoyable concert.

This was followed by afternoon tea prepared by the ladies of the social committee.

The social bowls afternoons were also well attended.

Special effort winners this week were Mr. E. Dickson and Mrs. Bannister.

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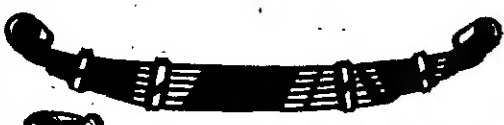
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— Inserted by his loving wife, Nellie, daughters, Irene and Dorothy, and all the families.  
As time unfolds another year,  
Loving memories keep you near.

**FLEMING.** — In fond memory of my darling wife Esma, passed away 13 September, 1966.  
Time unfolds another year,  
But loving memories keep you dear.  
— Inserted by your loving husband George.

**HATELEY.** — In loving memory of our mother and Nana, Hilda May, passed away 9th September 1970.  
Gone but not forgotten.  
— Melva, Rene, Kevin, Ivan and families.

**LEWER, Charles William Leslie.** — Promoted to glory 4.9.1970. Father of Adrienne, loved poppy of Jacque father-in-law of Bill Currie, Seymour. Eternal rest grant unto him O'Lord, and may he rest in peace. Amen.

**MARR.** — In loving memory of my dear brother, John, who passed away 11.9.70.

When last I saw your smiling face,  
You looked so bright and well.  
Little did I ever think,  
That was our last farewell.  
— Inserted by his loving brother Don, sister-in-law Vivienne and nieces Marilyn and Karen.

**MARR.** — Loving memories of our dear Uncle Jack, passed away 11.9.70.  
There is a place in our hearts,  
Which is yours alone.  
A piece of our love,  
No one else can own.  
— Inserted by his loving nieces, Karen and Marilyn.

**MATHESON.** — In loving memory of Murdoch (Murd.) passed away 8.9.70. This morning comes with sad regret,  
It brings back the day I won't forget.  
You went away without goodbye.  
But my memory of you will never die.  
— Loving wife Flo the family and grandchildren.

**MATHESON.** — Loved father of Roma and John and grandpa of Douglas, Louise and Tony.  
— Always remembered.

**MATHESON.** — Murd, Passed away 8.9.70.  
So dearly loved and sadly missed.  
— Loving sister Rene Lowden and Neil, Thelma and family.

**MAY, Samuel.** — In loving memory of my beloved husband, and our dear father, passed away September 13 1968.  
Close to our hearts he will always stay,  
Loved and remembered every day.  
— Your loving wife Emily, Bob, Nancy, John, Janice and grandchildren.

**PAGE, Catherine (Kitty).** — 69 years. In loving memory of our dear sister, passed away September 7, 1970.  
The parting came so suddenly.  
One year ago today.  
With good-byes left unspoken,  
You peacefully passed away.  
You cannot come back,  
We know that's true,  
But someday Kit will come to you.  
— Your loving brother and sister Annie and Arthur, Gilbert Rd., West Preston. Late of Williamstown.

## IN MEMORIAM

**PAGE, Catherine (Kitty).** — In loving memory of our dear friend Kitty, passed away September 7, 1970.  
To be with us in the same old way,  
Would be our dearest wish today.  
— Your loving friend Agnes Parkinson, Joy, Geoff and Maxine.

**ROSS Arthur.** — Passed away 12.9.66. Loved husband of Beatrice, loving father of Gladys.  
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Something always reminds us of you.

**THOMSON.** — In memory of Ron who passed away September 6, 1954. Loved father of Patricia.  
Years are quietly passing,  
Memories are ever-lasting.  
— Inserted by Mum, Dad, Max, Den and Yvonne.

**TYRRELL.** — In loving memory of my dear loved husband, George, and loved father of Winnie and George, who passed away September 7, 1965.  
As long as my heart keeps beating,  
As long as my eyes have tears,  
I will always remember you, darling,  
Through the sad and lonely years.  
— Loving wife Win, and family.

## MARRIAGE

**CLARK — BALDACCHINO.** — Mr. and Mrs. I. Clark of Altona wish to announce with pleasure the marriage of their eldest daughter Vicki to Nazzareno, Youngest son of Mrs. C. Baldacchino of Sunshine, on September 11th, at St. John's Church of England, Paisley St., Sunshine on September Footscray at 4 p.m.

## ENGAGEMENTS

**ARTHUR — MELLETT.** — Mr. and Mrs. John Arthur of 12 Civic Pde. Seaholme together with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mellett, of 111 The Esplanade Altona are happy to announce the engagement of Jackie and Colid.

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**PAANS — MILLER.** — Mr. and Mrs. T. Paans of 50 Dove Ave., Altona, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Miller of 167 Cecil St., Williamstown, have great pleasure in announcing the engagement of Elsie and Keith.

## THANKS

**RASMUSSEN.** — Mrs. A. Rasmussen and family wish to THANK all relatives, friends and neighbors for their personal expressions of sympathy, cards, letters and floral tributes during our recent sad bereavement. Would all please accept this as our personal thanks.

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**HARDIMAN, Francis.** — In sincere and loving memory of a dear friend.  
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## PUBLIC NOTICES

I would like to take this opportunity to express my thanks to the rate-payers of Altona who assisted me in my return to council at the elections on Saturday, August 28. Also, I would like to commend Messrs. R. Harrison and E. Houston for the manner in which they conducted their campaign. The residents of Altona may rest assured that I will continue to work in what I believe to be in their best interest at all times.  
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Many former parishioners are expected to return for the occasion.

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# Reply to a clergyman

Mrs. Vera Wells writes to us this week with a comment on the recent story The Rev. Lawley V. The Council in the last edition of the Star.

While I sympathise with the Rev. John Lawley in his campaign to have knocks, because of his worries about the poverty overseas, I am happy to see that as yet, the council has decided against the idea of door knocks.

It is a sad thing that some overseas nations have to have people begging but, I don't think that should condone any group of people, however well meaning, to do their begging for them here.

I know that sounds harsh, but, lets face the facts, door knocking is just simple begging.

If anything, I think it is also the laziest way to raise money for charity, very little effort is needed in comparison to the way money was raised for charity in the old days.

If someone came to my door selling tickets for a dance to be run for the local teenagers, proceeds to charity, I would gladly buy one.

Instead of my money just going out of the country, I would be able to see

it doing good in my own city.

A good dance is badly needed here, and until it is supplied, to assist our teens to amuse themselves sensibly, not one older person can cluck disapprovingly at what they do now.

Also the money raised could be well spent in the central Australian area, I'm sure, after reading of hospital conditions and death rates of our Australian Aboriginal children.

I would also like to add, Mr. Editor, that I hope your reporter of Mr. Lawley's last application being considered by the council, did not, in his concluding reference to smiles by two councillors, imply a sneer at a man who is trying to help others.

## CHURCH NEWS

### METHODIST CIRCUIT

The following services will be held on Sunday, September 12:

ELECTRA STREET: 11 a.m., Mr. E. Mitchell, 7 p.m., At John Street.

JOHN STREET: 11 a.m., Rev. P. B. Robson, 7 p.m., Pastor L. Pope.

NEWPORT: 9.30 a.m., Pastor L. Pope, 5 p.m., Rev. A. Absalom.

SPOTSWOOD: 10.45 a.m. Mr. S. E. Feildew.

ALTONA: 11 a.m., Student, 7 p.m., Rev. P. B. Robson.

LAVERTON: 9.30 a.m., Mr. M. Myers.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

WEDNESDAY: Church Board meeting 7.30 p.m.

THURSDAY: Prayer and Bible Study at the Manse.

FRIDAY: CYF meets for Walkathon preparation CWA hostess night at the home of Mrs. Shaw, 5 Vera Street, Williamstown, at 8 p.m.

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## Display by schoolboys

Altona North Technical School Pupils are putting on a display of copper and bronze at the Melbourne Show.

The display, which has been made in sheet metal to do more and to show work classes, will appear in the schools' section of the Show.

The school's headmaster, Mr. R. McInnes, is thrilled that boys from the school will be exhibiting at the Show.

He says that it is a great way of encouraging them to do more and to show people what the school is doing.

The display includes jewellery, such as cufflinks and tie tacks, a knight and a cat. Altogether over 12 different articles will be on show.

## Ex-Warracknabealite?

Former Warracknabeal residents will meet in the Fitzroy Gardens at 2 p.m. on Sunday, September 19 (during the Royal Melbourne Show).

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Alan Jones was a treble winner, taking out the Under-19 boys' singles, the doubles with Peter Onofretchok and the mixed doubles with Maree Cronolly.

The Whitecross brothers from Altona Club had a good tournament.

Stephen won four trophies and Greg two. Almost equal were Gwendoline and Julie White.

Gwendoline won four events including a doubles with Julie.

Mrs. Glad Howden and a band of hard working ladies provided lunches at a canteen, and Mrs. Norma Crear was a tower of

strength organising the matches.

Western Suburbs new president Mr. Orm Howden presented the trophies. He suitably thanked all those who helped and praised the children for competing in a true sportsman-like manner.

## Results—

**Boys:** U-19 singles, A. Jones d. S. Crerar; U-19 doubles, A. Jones-P. Onofretchok d. S. Whitecross-P. Roberts; U-17 singles, G. Guy d. S. Crerar; U-17 doubles, S. Whitecross-P. Roberts d. G. Guy-G. Wooley; U-16 singles, S. Whitecross d. G. Guy; U-15 singles, S. Whitecross d. D. Hein; U-15 doubles, S. Whitecross-D. Hein d. A. Travis-J. Blake; U-14 singles, A. Findlay d. R. Conley; U-13 singles, G. Whitecross d. P. McRoberts; U-13 doubles, G. Whitecross-K. Hansen d. L. Pyke-M. Thomas.

**Girls:** U-19 singles, J. Rowlands d. M. Cheel; U-19 doubles, J. Row-

lands-K. Rusden d. C. Jacobs; U-14 doubles, Veal-S. Bongetti; U-17 singles, C. Veal d. S. Higgs; U-17 doubles, C. Veal-S. Bongetti d. L. Gilbertson-L. Jarry; U-16 singles, S. Steel d. L. Jarry; U-16 doubles, A.-D. Dent d. K. Morales-A. Sherman; U-15 singles, S. Steel d. D. Kent; U-15 doubles, S. Steel-J. Forrestal d. D. Kent-K. Bongetti; U-14 singles, G. White d. D. Hein-S. Steele.

G.-J. White d. A. Kennedy-W. Bridges; U-13 singles, G. White d. S. Hein; U-13 doubles, G. White-T. Woodruffe d. A. May-W. Bridges.

**Boys:** Dixie, L. Bridges d. F. Vanderhout.

**U-19 mixed doubles,** A. Jones-M. Cronolly d. S. Crerar-S. Bongetti.

**U-15 mixed doubles,** D. Hein-S. Steele.

## DOG TRIAL SUCCESS FOR ALTONA

Saturday and Sunday were big days for the Hobsons Bay Obedience Dog Club last weekend.

On Saturday night the club held their tenth annual dinner at the Port Melbourne Town Hall.

On Sunday the club's open dog trial was held at the Altona Hockey Grounds on Civic Parade. It was opened by the

new mayor of Altona, Cr. Pat Lynch.

There were ninety entrants on the day, many from interstate.

The trophy for the highest scoring Victorian dog went to an owner from Geelong.

The trophy for the high-

est scoring dog at the trial went to a seventeen-year-old boy from New South Wales.

Through The Star the club wishes to thank Mayor Lynch and the Altona Hockey Club for the help in making the trial the success it was.

There will be normal training at the hockey grounds from 10 to 11 a.m. next Sunday morning.

Anyone requiring further information please ring Mrs. P. Murphy at 398 1685 or Mr. S. Ashman on 398 2364.

## Westgate team in big finish

Westgate team, Sunshine, defeated Victorian Junior Rugby team, Box Hill in the Under 12 final played as a curtain raiser to the V.R.U. semi-finals at Olympic Park on Saturday.

Down 12 to 5 at half time, Sunshine held Box Hill to a scoreless second half to run out winners 18 points to 12.

Good scrummaging and determined running brought this victory.

Final scores, Sunshine 18. d. Box Hill 12.

Scorers were: R. Smellie 3 tries R. Young

try. D. Salisbury 3 goals.

Next Saturday St. Paul's College plays Box Hill in the U.14 Inter Union final as the curtain raiser at Olympic Park No. 2 at 12 noon.

**Eastwood District Junior Rugby Union** visited Westgate Junior Rugby Union and won convincingly three games at Footscray Park.

The Sydney boys visited Sovereign Hill at Ballarat and the Newport power station whilst they were billeted with Westgate.

Eastwood won the Veteran Boots Trophy for competition between teams composed of the officials of the touring and billeting teams.

**1971 AUSTRALIAN UNDER 16 CHAMPIONSHIPS.**

Three Altona North boys played for Victoria in Sydney.

They were Donald Mills, James McKendrick and Andrew East played as forwards

in games which won the Southern States Trophy for Victoria, without having their line crossed.

The only scores against them coming from penalty goals.

D. Mills scored a try and J. McKendrick kicked 18 points from goals.

Scores, Victoria 34. d. South Australia nil; Victoria 17. d. Western Australia 3; Victoria 21 d. Tasmania nil.

In the finals Victoria lost to Northern States team New South Wales Country, 21 to nil, and Victoria d. South Australia 30 to 6.

## KOORINGAL GOLF

Results of the latest round from Kooringal Golf Club are: Medal, Mrs. V. Jones, (17) 75 nett; B Division Mrs. M. Herrick, (22), 77 nett; C Division, Mrs. P. Bell (31) 77 nett; 36 markers, Mrs. J. Warrell, 80 nett.

The putting competition was won by Mrs. A. Heesh, 29 putts.

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